1. Solve  $(\cos x \cos y + 2x)dx - (\sin x \sin y + 2y)dy = 0$ .

**Solution.** Let  $M(x,y) = \cos x \cos y + 2x$  and  $N(x,y) = -(\sin x \sin y + 2y)$ .

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = -\cos x \sin y$$
 and  $\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = -\cos x \sin y$ 

They are equal. So the equation is exact. We now solve

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = \cos x \cos y + 2x$$
 and  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = -(\sin x \sin y + 2y)$ 

Take anti-derivative in the first equation:  $F = \sin x \cos y + x^2 + C(y)$ . Take the partial derivative:

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = -\sin x \sin y + C'(y)$$

So we have C'(y) = -2y or  $C(y) = -y^2$ . Hence,  $F = \sin x \cos y + x^2 - y^2$ . The general solution is:

$$\sin x \cos y + x^2 - y^2 = C$$

2. Solve  $\frac{dy}{dx} = (x + y + 2)^2$ .

**Solution.** Let v = x + y.

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = 1 + \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + (x + y + 2)^2 = 1 + (v + 2)^2$$

$$\frac{dv}{1 + (v+2)^2} = dx$$

$$\tan^{-1}(v+2) = x + C$$
 or  $v = \tan(x+C) - 2$ 

The solution is

$$x + y = \tan(x + C) - 2$$
 or  $y = \tan(x + C) - x - 2$